

Boundaries as Defined Under Redistribution

A new map of British Columbia has been issued from Victoria showing the boundaries of the electoral districts according to the recent redistribution. The boundaries of Skeena district are as follows:

Skeena Electoral District

Commencing at a point in Hecate Strait, on the southerly boundary of Prince Rupert electoral district; thence south-easterly, passing to the west of Gander Islands to the north-westerly boundary of the Mackenzie electoral district; thence northerly along the north-westerly boundary of said Mackenzie electoral district to the south-west corner of the Omineca electoral district; thence northerly along the westerly boundary of the said Omineca electoral district to the easterly boundary of the Atlin electoral district; thence south-westerly and southerly following the boundaries of the Atlin and Prince Rupert electoral districts to the point of commencement, shall constitute one electoral district, to be designated as "Skeena Electoral District," and return one member.

Omineca Electoral District

The boundaries of Omineca are as follows:

Commencing at a point on the sixtieth parallel of latitude where it is intersected by the one hundred and twenty-eighth meridian of west longitude, being the north-east corner of the Atlin electoral district; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of the said Atlin electoral district to the point of intersection with the northerly boundary of the watershed of the Kispiox River; thence easterly along the northerly boundary of said watershed to a point due west of the confluence of the Babine and Skeena Rivers; thence due east to said confluence; thence south-easterly to and along the divide separating the waters flowing into Babine River and Babine Lake to the east and the Skeena and Bulkley Rivers to the west to a point due north of the north-east corner of Lot 4277, Range 5, Coast District; thence south to the north-east corner of said Lot 4277; thence south along the east boundaries of Lots 4277 and 4276 to the north boundary of Township 7, Range 5, Coast District; thence west along the north boundaries of Townships 6 and 5 to the north-west corner of Section 32, in said Township 7, Range 5, Coast District; thence south along the east boundaries of Sections 31, 30 and 29 to the south-east corner of the said Section 19; thence west along the south boundary of said Section 19 to the centre of the Bulk-

TELKWA TALES

News from the Hub of Bulkley Valley

Telkwa hockey fans journeyed to Smithers to see the two games of the return series between the Smithers team and that of Prince George. The games were interesting to watch, although the Prince George players proved themselves superior in most departments and walked away with each game by a 14-4 score.

Peter Slavin has taken over the Telkwa Hotel and is now operating.

J. P. Wheeler, of the Soldier Settlement Board, left on Thursday for Vancouver on business connected with the Board.

Clarence Bussinger left Telkwa on Sunday morning for Alaska, where he expects to remain for some time.

Everyone is giving a hand to help make the Nursing Home Shower a success.

Mrs. Rav, of Prince George, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Green, for a short time.

It looks as though the weather would tighten up and remain that way for a time. All the tie haulers are therefore much easier in mind and are wearing broad smiles.

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ley River; thence south-easterly through said Bulkley River to the north-east corner of Lot 406; thence south along the east boundaries of Lots 406, 405, 397, and 396 to the south-east corner of Lot 396; thence southerly and westerly to and along the divide between the waters flowing northerly into the Telkwa River and and those flowing southerly into Morice River to the easterly boundary of the watershed of Kitimat Arm and Gardner Canal; thence southerly along said watershed to the northerly boundary of the Mackenzie electoral district; thence easterly and northerly following the boundaries of the Mackenzie, Cariboo and Fort George electoral districts to the northern boundary of the province; thence west along the north boundary of the province to the point of commencement, shall constitute one electoral district, to be designated as "Omineca Electoral District," and return one member.

Announcement

To provide for my growing practice and to furnish better service to the people of the Lakes District, I am opening a law office at Burns Lake, with a fully qualified barrister, solicitor, and notary public in charge. I will be in Burns Lake on Friday, February 15th, 1924, for this purpose.

L. S. MCGILL.

Pacific

A most successful and largely attended masquerade dance was held in the Nichol Hotel last Friday night from 8 to 2 a.m. Before unmasking at nine o'clock the company voted that Miss D. Gardner as "Miss Valentine" and Bob Gammon as "Cardshark" carried the honors respectively. Supper was served at midnight. Amongst the characters represented were: Miss Doris Gardner, "Miss Valentine"; Mrs. W. Aird, "Red Cross Nurse"; Mrs. R. Taper, "Snowflakes"; Mrs. S. Garden, "Night"; Mrs. H. W. Clark, "Queen of Hearts"; Mrs. Anderson, "Spring"; Miss L. Taper, "Jack of Hearts"; Miss W. Alger, "Fair Queen"; Mrs. C. E. Carpenter, "Night"; Mrs. Harris, "Shamrock Bacon"; Miss Lola Paine, "Crysanthemum"; Miss Kellegher, "Gipsy"; Miss Clark, "Red Riding Hood"; Miss O'Connell, "Girl in Blue"; Miss L. Gardner, "Ace of Hearts"; Bob Gammon, "Card Shark"; Frank Brown, "John Chinaman"; Ben Koffman, "Miss Vancouver"; Karl Whitmore, "Tony"; Claude Bell, "Physical Culture"; Bill Gardner, "Monk"; Wilf Gardner, "Professor Nut"; C. E. Carpenter, "Master of the Hunt"; A. E. Gaul, "Chink"; Ed. Anderson, "Chinese Cook"; Ray Sher, "Turk"; Dan Taper, "Perriot"; Jack McCubbin, "Miss Pacific"; Jim Brown, "Minstrel"; Clayton Paine, "Ty Cobb"; Bert Taper, "Old Gent".

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Visitors from Dorreen for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carpenter and Verna, the Misses Kellegher, Mrs. Harris, and Lola Paine, A. E. Gaul, Geo. and Alex Graham and Claton Paine.

Mrs. Tom Snell, of Pitman, was visiting in town last week with friends.

F. S. Walton, of the C. N. R. engineering department, took in the masquerade dance as did also Dave Roberts.

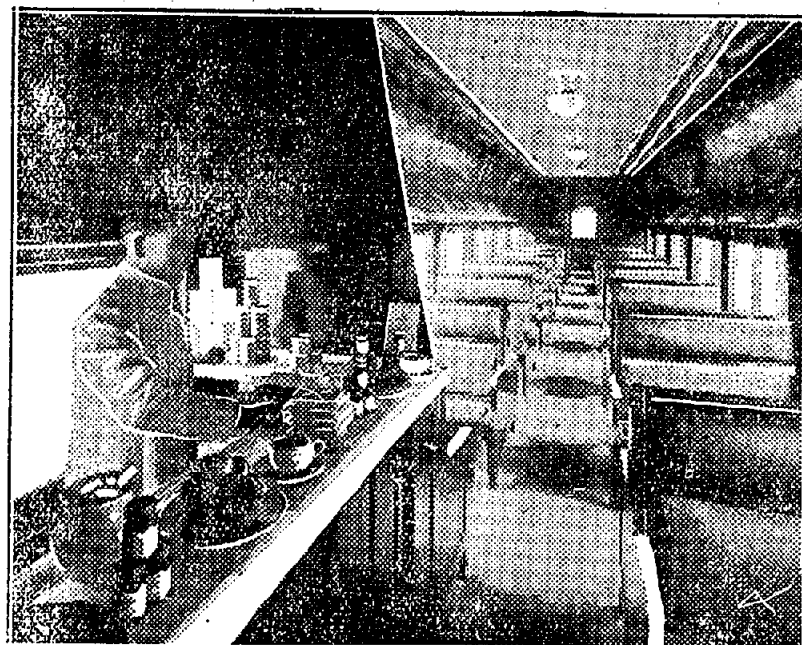
Miss Doris Gardner has gone to visit friends in Smithers.

The wet weather held up the logging around here, but the ice crossing on the Skeena still held. Conditions are now better.

Bill Aird and Tom McCubbin have both been laid up with colds for a few days but are getting around again.

R. E. Allen, of Hanall, was in Terrace for a few days last week.

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LUNCH counter cars which will care for the needs of passengers in the colonist, first class and tourist cars of the main line trains, if they desire to patronize them, are to be operated by the Canadian National Railways for the convenience of the travelling public, and particularly of immigrants arriving in Canada. As an experiment, lunch counter cars have been placed in service between Winnipeg and Toronto. While these trains carry dining cars and while the Canadian National Railways also have lunch counters and restaurants at all divisional points, it is considered that the lunch counter car will be a great benefit to women travelling with children and to others who may be physically unfit or unable to leave the train at stations because of severe weather, or for other reasons.

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The suggestion of the lunch counter cars was made by Mr. Walter Pratt, General Manager of Dining, Sleeping and Parlor Cars and of Hotels, who has been anxious to provide this facility to further improve travelling conditions and add to the comforts of passengers on the Canadian National Railways.

OVERHEARD AROUND NEW HAZELTON

The first real blizzard this year visited the district on Sunday, and on Monday was followed by rain.

The Hanson Tie & Timber Co. is letting sub-contracts for ten thousand cedar fence-posts. This business is developing satisfactorily.

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 9, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, of New Hazelton, at the Hazelton Hospital.

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W. S. Henry, district agent for the Ford Motor Co., has two carloads of cars en route. One carload is for Terrace and the other is for Hazelton. They are expected to arrive the end of this month.

Masters Douglas, Louis and Delcourt Parent, sons of Geo. D. Parent, who are attending school in Montreal and Ottawa, had their pictures printed in a recent issue of the Montreal Daily Star.

Fred Peterson was a visitor in Smithers this week.

Terrace

The death occurred in Prince Rupert last week of Mrs. J. A. Shorkey and infant daughter. The residents of Terrace and district extend condolence to Mr. and Mrs. Rastall, of Terrace, parents of the deceased lady.

The Altar Society of the Catholic Church held their annual meeting in the priest's residence on Thursday last and elected the following officers for the year: President—Mrs. Annie Ross; Vice-president—Mrs. H. De Fontaine; Secretary—Mrs. N. Sherwood; Treasurer—Mrs. R. Braun. The above officers with Mrs. Hipp form the executive of the Society.

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The Willing Workers entertained at a social evening in the Presbyterian church on Saturday afternoon. The club served refreshments, including ice cream, to about thirty people. Several of the girls rendered piano music; others recited and read. Many games were indulged in and all enjoyed them greatly. The young people were chaperoned by Mrs. (Rev.) Parsons and Mrs. Brooks.

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The movement started recently on the prairies for a nationwide campaign against government extravagance is making good progress. The movement is non-political. It is clearly an earnest desire to lower taxation and one of the best ways to do this is to abolish most of the "efficiency" stunts advocated by the office specialty manufacturers which cost the government millions of dollars to instal and more millions to maintain; that have caused overlapping in all departments; that take several clerks to locate a document that was formerly located by one. Another considerable saving in public works in this district could be made by working the herd of government horses in the winter instead of keeping men to feed them and watch them play in the barn yard all day.

In the east end of the new Skeena riding one hears unfavorable comment on the location of the boundaries. The government, however, points out that in order to get the voting strength of the north so divided that a new member could be worked in, the boundaries selected were the only ones possible. There was bound to be a difference of opinion no matter what the division might have been, and if we have any faith in the future of our country we must realize that the present arrangement can only be a temporary one at best. The main issue at the next election should be, and most likely will be, the man himself. Hide bound partyism in provincial affairs is not the best for the country nor for the district.

From present indications and recent political speeches it is a safe bet that the next election campaign will be even more wearisome than those of the recent past. Mud will fly in all directions, and it will be some old mud that has been thrown backward and forward for the past couple of years. The voters have not yet much to look forward to, and the P.G.E. investigation will be so stale that nothing can be expected from that quarter to stir up excitement. The wickedness of the other fellow will take such a prominent part, that such matters as curtailment of useless expenditures and the reduction of taxes will be entirely overlooked, while the development of resources and the establishment of industries will be ignored entirely. There will be no time for anything but abuse of the other fellow, not of the other party,

but the other individual.

Another breeze visited Rupert last week and did considerable damage, particularly to wooden sidewalks. The coast city will have to use concrete for all sidewalks if it is desired to keep them in any particular place.

In some parts of the province the public works department is hauling gravel onto the roads and preparing for the spring work. In Omineca a large flock of horses are kept in the government barns eating hay and oats, and doing nothing to earn their feed.

A sample of lime found on Peter White's farm near Telkwa, and also on F. M. Dockrill's place, has been sent to Victoria for analysis. This deposit may prove of much value to the Bulkley Valley.

A beer vote next June will not help the thirsty over next summer's hot weather as such new stunts are seldom given effect for several months. Probably beer will be for sale by the first of the New Year.

Thanks are Given

The Francois Lake Hospital wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following donations: Mrs. Olaf Anderson, 2 chickens, Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, turkey; J. H. and Mrs. Keefe, turkey; Hugh and Mrs. Fraser, turkey; Frank and Mrs. Keefe, box of apples; Mrs. Bennett, 2 chickens, plum pudding; T. Radley, beef and 3 gals. milk; John and Mrs. Bostrom, side of pork; D. Haven, Mr. McDougall, smoked fish; Mrs. J. H. Keefe, milk; David Watson, \$2.00. The hospital also wishes to thank J. H. Keefe for the 10 per cent discount which he has given on the grocery bills during the past year and which had amounted to \$24.38, also for considerable heavy freighting, done gratis. It is also desired to thank Messrs. Ronald Prosser, Walter Somner, Charles Baden and John Mickleson for sawing and cutting wood when the hospital was sorely in need of it. The staff takes this opportunity of thanking C. E. Imeson & Co. for the nice Christmas box, and all friends for their many kindnesses during the past year. (signed) LILY M. WILSON, R.N., Matron.

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Adventure Did Not Prosper

A Prince Rupert youth of 14 years named Gillis decided to see the world recently and embarked as a stowaway on the steamer Chilliwack, thinking he was en route to Vancouver. Unfortunately for the boy, the steamer went up to Skeena River cannery to load salmon, and here the young adventurer was forced by cold and hunger to give himself up to the captain, who discharged him afterwards at Haysport. Undaunted, the lad decided to take advantage of the railway, and after spending two nights and two days in the woods finally arrived on Monday's train in Terrace. Here he was taken in custody by Constable Mancor, for return to Prince Rupert. At present the youth is at the hotel threatened with pneumonia, due to exposure, and is under the care of Dr. Blecker.

Mrs. Roy Amos returned on Wednesday from an extended visit in the south. Mrs. Amos is much improved in health.

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TERRACE

LUMBERING
MINING
HORTICULTURE

A. Goodenough was in Terrace on Saturday and left for Priestly on the night train.

Elwood Brooks is nursing a sore hand, having cut it on a saw at the mill.

"Tiny" McLaughlin, pole inspector, was in Terrace this week.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Pierson, of Terrace, a daughter, on January 18, at Vanderhoof.

The loggers' and pole cutters' prayer was answered on Sunday morning by a bountiful fall of snow, which will enable them to continue hauling. Had not the opportune storm arrived the logging industry in Terrace district would have been at a standstill.

The regular service at the Anglican Church was followed by a baptismal service, Archbishop DuVernet officiating, at which the infant daughter of Constable and Mrs. Mancor was baptised.

Ivan Frank was a visitor to Prince Rupert on Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Thams, of Usk, was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

B. Woodward, of Usk, was in Terrace on business Monday.

The Provincial Party held another dance and social evening in Progress Hall Friday last. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all and its success surpassed the previous dance held by the organization. Dancing was enjoyed up to a late hour.

The Presbyterian Guild met on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. Brooks. There were 24 ladies present. The work committee distributed work to the members to prepare for the May sale. Next week's meeting will be held on the 20th at Mrs. Sundal's. Everybody come as the plans are to be finished for the silver tea to be held at Mrs. Blecker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Raven, of Lakelse hatchery, are in Terrace for a few days, the guest of Mr. Raven's sister, Mrs. H. Creelman.

We learn that milk is liable to drop in price in Terrace as J. Norrington recently bought the two goats formerly owned by E. G. Ayliffe, of the government telegraphs.

Ester Moore and Fanny McLaren went to Remo on Saturday to spend the week-end with their schoolmate, Mary Wilson.

Jack Allen, of Hanall, was in Terrace over the week-end. Mr. Allen is a tie inspector.

Archbishop DuVernet, Prince Rupert, held service in the Anglican Church on Sunday morning, February 10.

P. Sharkey of the forestry department was a visitor to Terrace last week.

The condition of Mrs. F. L. Chretien is still unimproved.

Mrs. A. Carr is expected to sail from England for home in the near future, and is expected to arrive in April.

Chas. R. Gilbert made a trip up the line last week.

Mrs. Lanfear, of the Hill Farm, was a passenger to Prince Rupert on Wednesday's train.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Limousin, a daughter, on Wednesday, February 6.

Jack Little, of Foremost, Alta., returned to his home on Wednesday night's train, after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Little Sr. Jack says he still prefers the prairie to the mountains.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church met in Progress Hall, Mrs. Fred. Bishop acting as hostess. There was an excellent attendance, twenty-two being present. Plans were made for the spring sale on May 3. In future the meetings of the auxiliary will be held on Thursdays instead of Wednesdays.

Mrs. A. Danhouser, of Copper City was a Terrace visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Y. Wilson, of Remo, was a Terrace visitor on Wednesday and attended the Auxiliary of the English Church.

R. H. Eaton and E. H. Ryder, of Lakelse Hatchery, were Terrace visitors this week.

Chas. Durham, of Usk, was in Terrace on Wednesday.

J. L. Christie, of Prince Rupert, has been calling on the trade in town this week.

Constable Mancor made an official call to Pacific on Wednesday night's train returning on Friday.

W. H. Allemus, of East Orange, N. J., and W. H. Sinclair, of Edmonton, were in Terrace on lumber business last week and left for Prince Rupert.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raven, of Kalum Lake walked the eighteen miles into Terrace last week and Mr. Raven said it was the hardest trip he had ever made.

The G.W.V.A. Ladies' Auxiliary announce to the public that the election of officers will take place in the G.W.V.A. hall on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 19. The meetings have been poorly attended, and the president, Mrs. Mancor, extends an invitation to all who may be interested to come and help them out. Tea will be served.

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The earthquake disaster made appeal to Canadians for many reasons, and the Government of this Dominion did not hesitate to lend practical aid to the sufferers in stricken Japan, which staggered under one of the worst disasters in history. A ceremony the other day in New York, which gave recognition to Captain Samuel Robinson, who was in command of the Canadian Pacific steamer "Empress of Australia," which happened to be in the harbor of Yokohama at the time of the disaster, is particularly interesting, bringing to light the fact that this gallant officer of the mercantile marine was instrumental in the rescue of approximately three thousand persons. Honor to whom honor is due has been worthily and fittingly done in the presentation of the C.P.R. by the British Consul-General at New York in the presence of a distinguished gathering, which included Mr. E. W. Beatty, Mr. Grant Hall and other high officials of the C.P.R. Canadians cannot help feeling a thrill of pride when reading the career of Captain Samuel Robinson. The spirit which inspired Columbus and Vasco de Gama and M. Gerbault pervades the officers and the men of the British mercantile marine, and the gallantry of Canadian sailors today is not altogether different from what imbued those old seamen—Phoenicians, Vikings, Portuguese, Italians—who risked their lives in the earlier days. The world we sometimes lament has no more mysteries left and nothing more for explorers to do. From China to Peru, from Pole to Pole, all is known and mapped and even photographed. But we need not fear that British seamen will lose their gallantry and daring of past history

because there are no more worlds to conquer. How many Canadian boys growing up today will read with a thrill of pride of the achievements of the officers and men of the good ship Empress of Australia in a time of great trial and difficulty in the burning waters of Yokohama—and will want to grow up and, if the occasion demands it in the days of the future, go and do likewise.

The old famous sea captains Columbus and Drake, and all the rest who are gone "to the haven under the hill" did their work nobly, manfully and well, with their crews to help them. Captain Robinson's heroic endeavor will stand out as a bright, particular page in Canadian Pacific steamship history, where, taking immense risks, the morale, courage and proud sea history of the men of the mercantile marine were again exemplified in their brightest colors. It is well for the world that there are men of the Captain Robinson type in command of those great ships flying mercantile marine flags on the seven seas. The Government of Japan will take a suitable opportunity to give due appreciation of the valuable help rendered by the C.P. steamships and their officers for a service gladly rendered in token of our friendship and our common humanity. How ever clouded the outlook may be in other quarters we have always been able to see a patch of blue sky over

Japan, whose friendship is doubly precious to us in these days. If we reflect upon the possible consequences of a serious earthquake in our houses and streets in Montreal, we can form some idea of what happened in Tokio and of the dreadful devastation wrought in a few hours. The stoutest heart must have quailed in that Inferno where human beings were perishing by hundreds of thousands—so that we offer to Captain Samuel Robinson the heartiest of congratulations for his share in a noble work—nobly performed.

The foregoing tribute to Captain Robinson appeared as an editorial in the "Montreal Gazette," and is but one of many recognitions of his heroic actions. The passengers of the "Empress of Australia" have presented to the Pacific liner, at which her captain and crew took the relief and rescue work at the time of the disaster, and prior to the sailing from New York on January 30 of the "Empress of Canada," which he now commands on world cruise, the American Metropolis honored the intrepid Commander at various luncheons and dinners, and demonstrated that his heroism has won for him universal respect and admiration. Canadian boys may, indeed, read with a thrill of pride of the achievements of the officers and men of the "Empress of Aus-

to you as local news. Make a practice of reading the advertisements in the local paper.

It will soon be time to think about moving out the 1923 spud crop and putting the dough into circulation.

It is about time to think of sending to the prairies for some seed again, now that a large part of our 1923 crop has been fed out to the stock.

We have not heard much about the Farmers' Institute since 1919, but now there seems to be a feeling current that "God helps those who help themselves."

Five years since the war, but orders in council are still in vogue. Guess Christie must be selling too cheap.

For the first time in many years Babine Lake is open this winter and travelling in that country is very dangerous and difficult. The lake is used almost entirely for travelling both in winter and summer. This year mile after mile of the lake is open.

John Salt, of Stewart, arrived last Sunday and is renewing old acquaintances here.

Robinson Crusoe

ONE of the most persistent advertisers in the history of success was Robinson Crusoe. He knew what he wanted—a ship—so he put up an ad. for one. He flung up a shirt on a pole, at the top of his island. That, in the language of the sea, was plain to every sea-faring man.

The circulation was small, there was no other medium, but Crusoe kept at it, despite the fact that he got no enquiries for a long time. He changed his copy, as one garment after another was frayed out, and in the end Crusoe got what he wanted.

Cascade
PALE
"The Beer without a Peer"

Purity First

THROUGH every process in the brewing of "Cascade" runs the predominating thought of "purity"—it jealously guards its right to be classed as a "pure tonic beverage." Think of that when buying beer—then you'll INSIST on "Cascade."

VANCOUVER BREWERIES
LIMITED



This advertisement is not published or displayed by the Liquor Control Board or by the Government of British Columbia.

Quick and Deep Creek

Notice egg prices lately?

V. Conn had the misfortune to have one of his horses injured while baling hay on H. Wearne's ranch.

As we are now about to bust a perfectly good New Year's resolution, we will remark that there seems to be a general tendency on the part of most papers to agree with many of our views in general and in particular. Oh, you MacLean's.

We trust that the present talk concerning dairy products will eventually make a noise like a dollar. Possibly some day this

will also include pork and beef products as well.

With mosquitoes and wild ducks flying around on February 1st, one wonders if it is to be a late spring, or where we are going to get ice for next season.

Gold in post-holes and in geese gizzards on a nearby ranch leads one to suspect that there must be more gold not far away. For many reasons we leave the location of the gold to the owners of the ranch.

A Quick bachelor was recently obliged to go down his well to clean it out and dig it deeper. The next thing he knew was that he was lying in the house some hours afterwards feeling very much the worse for his experience, of which he is still not able to give any satisfactory

account; neither can he explain how he got out of the well. One should not start monkeying with wells all by one's lonesome.

A few days ago one of our local residents, wishing to water his team, walked out on the Bulkley to fill his pail. He had not gone far when down he went, through the ice. Had he not been a strong swimmer he would not have been able to right himself and again reach the hole, but would have been carried down and held under the ice until the spring breakup. After considerable effort he managed to pull himself out onto the ice, and headed for home.

Have you read the advertisements in this week's paper? Store news is just as important

Telkwa Hotel

Serves the traveller to and through the Bulkley Valley

MAKE THAT YOUR HEADQUARTERS

Peter Slavin - Proprietor
TELKWA - B.C.

Omineca Hotel

C. W. Dawson Manager

Best attention to tourists and to commercial men.

Dining room in connection

Rates reasonable. Patronage is solicited

Hazelton - B. C.

Hotel Prince Rupert

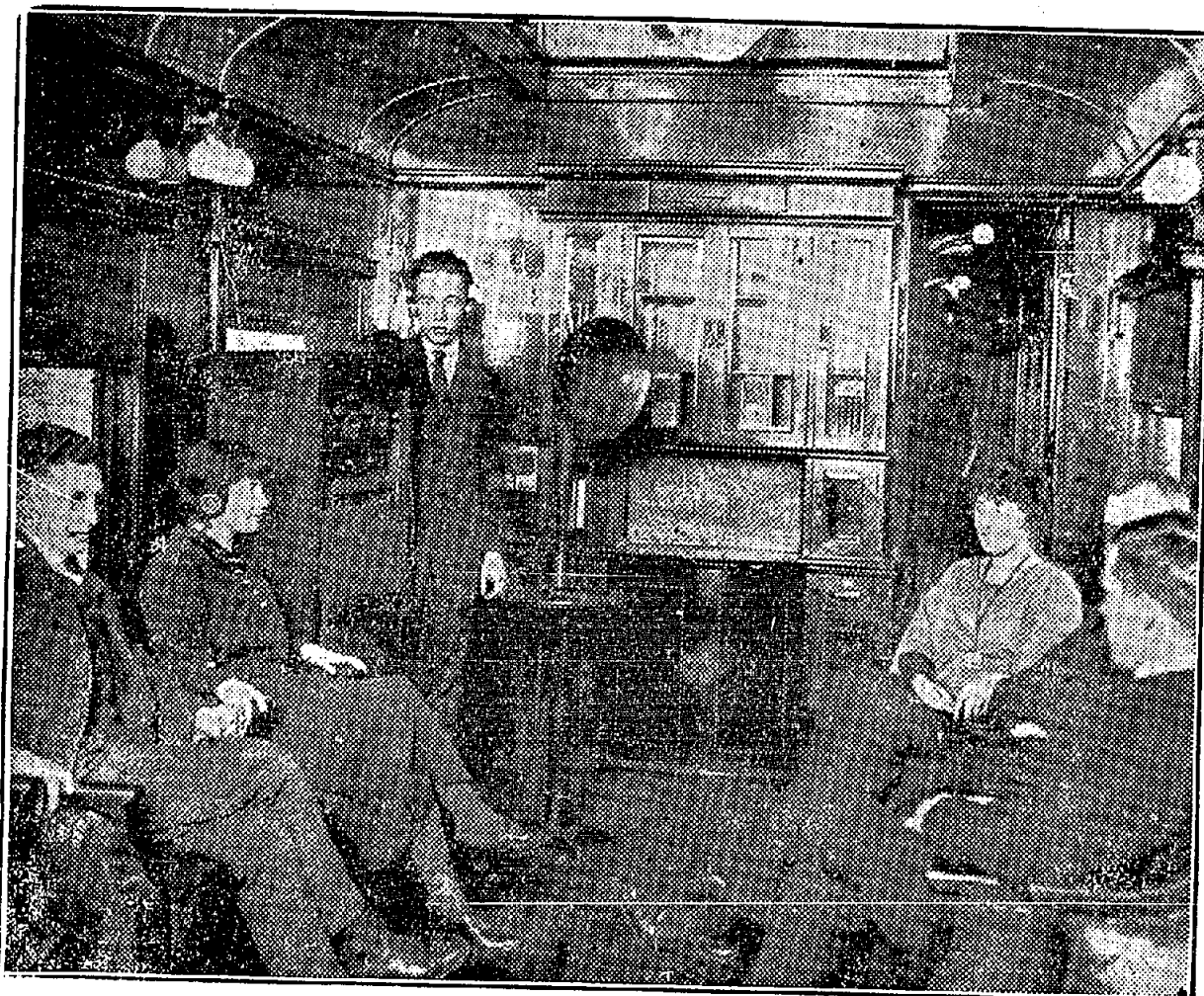
THE LEADING HOTEL
IN NORTHERN B. C.

Prince Rupert, B.C.

European Plan.

Rates \$1.50 per day up.

ENJOY RADIO ON CONTINENTAL LIMITED



NO longer need the business man or broker be out of touch with market fluctuations while he is travelling from his own city to another on the Continental Limited, the all-steel train of the Canadian National Railways. The Canadian National system is the first railway in Canada to provide radio receiving sets aboard its regular trains for the convenience and

entertainment of passengers. Efficient receiving sets, in charge of competent operators, are being installed in observation cars on the Continental Limited, with the result that the business man or broker may, if he wishes, follow the markets regularly while travelling or may enjoy music or other entertainment features broadcast from the various stations in Can-

ada and the United States. Market quotations are sent from the large American and Canadian broadcasting stations at regular intervals during the business day, and in addition to these, passengers aboard the Continental Limited are enabled to enjoy good music and other features as they travel across the continent.

Timber Sale X5763

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria not later than noon on the 21st day of February, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X5763, to cut 1,177,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam from an area situated at the head of Tucks Inlet, N.W. of Prince Rupert, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C. h3033



Omineca Assessment District

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that all assessed taxes, assessed and levied under the "Taxation Act" and "Public Schools Act", are now due and payable for the year 1924.

All taxes collectable for the Omineca Assessment District are due and payable at my office, situated in the Provincial Government Building, in the Village of Smithers, B. C.

This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes. Dated at Smithers, B. C., this 12th day of February, 1924.

STEPHEN H. HOSKINS,
COLLECTOR,
OMINECA ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

FOR SALE AT TERRACE

Boarding House, eight rooms, good cellar and well, lot 38x100 and all fenced. This has always been a good paying business and all rooms are now occupied. Handy to the new Terrace bridge on which the steel work starts on March 1st. Poor health reason for selling. A bargain for the purchaser. Terms will be allowed. Apply to Mrs. (Dr.) Bleeker, Terrace, or Omineca Herald office.

Usk

Skeena's Industrial Centre

Harry D. Gazanoff arrived in town from Smithers on Thursday to renew old acquaintances before leaving on Saturday for Anyox.

Joe Coleman returned Friday after spending a few days in Prince Rupert getting repairs to his masticators.

J. P. MacDonnell made a short visit to Terrace on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Morgan returned on Monday from Skeena Crossing, where they were located for a couple of months.

James Lloyd has returned from the Hazelton Hospital following an operation. He looks fine and prime, showing that treatment was effective. Friends are glad to see him around again.

Mrs. Thams paid a visit to Terrace. She says Mr. Thams has made a great improvement during his attendance at the Rupert hospital.

Ties are beginning to be moved from Usk. The first two carloads were shipped on Sunday night from Gall & Bell and Woodward & Berge.

A Valentine masquerade was held in Bethurem Hall last night. Particulars in our next issue.

Sunday's and Monday's snow created renewed activity in the Central Skeena district. At Terrace the early disappearance of snow almost caused a panic, owing to the large cuts of timber left in the woods. The new downfall has greatly eased the

strain. At Usk the Hayward Lumber Co.'s mill is about set up and the company is turning its attention to the long log hauls which may be made before the snow goes, leaving the shorter hauls for summer. Since the Japanese market demand has eased off, the hemlock timber of the mill will be turned into ties by mass production through gang edgers and economical loading devices.

Have you read the advertisements in this week's paper? Store news is just as important to you as the local news. Make a practice of reading the advertisements in the local paper.

A. Finnie, of Prince Rupert, was a business visitor on Saturday, returning Sunday.

A. H. Edwards, manager of the Hayward mills, left for Edmonton on Monday night, on business.

Frank Allen, of Hanall, after many years in the interior, was a visitor early in the week.

The following pupils of Round Lake School were successful in obtaining MacLean method writing certificates: Dorothy Bossons, Marion Foley, Robert Fletcher.

Eby's EXCHANGE

GOODS BOUGHT AND SOLD
Everything for the Home
SMITHERS, B.C.

Dealer For
DODGE CARS
GREGORY TIRES AND TUBES

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emption is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emption are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emption must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is \$5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land \$2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act, the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

B.C. LAND SURVEYOR

J. Allan Rutherford

All descriptions of surveys promptly executed

: SOUTH HAZELTON :

PRINCE RUPERT Exchange

Brokers Auctioneers
Valuators

(We Swap the Earth)

Goods, all kinds, Bought, Sold, Exchanged

Special attention paid to Out-of-Town Customers

Private Auction Sales Conducted

J. Sigmund - Manager

Auction Sale every Saturday at our Auction Rooms, Third Ave. Prince Rupert - B.C.

For Sale Imperial Incubator used only one season. Apply to Mr. Burke, Two-Mile.

Are you a subscriber yet?

The Bulkley Hotel

E. E. Orchard, Owner

European or American Plan

The headquarters for the Bulkley Valley. Tourists and Commercial men find this a grand hotel to stop at. All trains met. Autos, livery or rigs saddle horses provided.

Smithers. B. C.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

Importers and Dealers in

Wallpapers	We carry the
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Paints.	most varied
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Write us for information when renovating or building your home

Make Your Home Attractive!

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A. W. EDGE Co.

P.O. Box 469, Prince Rupert, B.C.

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L. S. MCGILL
SMITHERS

Flour and Feed

A new arrival of a shipment of super-quality Feed and Flour which we are disposing of at an absolute minimum of price

Hay Oats Shorts Poultry Feed

Men.—Examine our stock of Winter Furnishings:

Mackinaw Pants and Breeches All-wool Socks
Heavy Work Shirts Underwear
Dress and Work Shoes

RUBBERS—EQUIP YOURSELF FOR THE SLOPPY WEATHER

S. H. SENKPIEL MacKenzie's
Old Stand
New Hazelton, B.C.

MAGNOLAX New gentle, but effective Laxative

Wampole's Extract of Cod Liver Oil
The finest procurable tonic for arter the Grippe

The Up-to Date Drug Store
HAZELTON, B.C.

Wm. Grant's Agency
Hazelton, B.C.

AUTOS and HORSES FOR HIRE
Twenty-four-hour Service

Autos for all Points in the District Jitneys between the Railway
and Hazelton Jitneys between Hazelton and New Hazelton

GASOLINE, OIL, FORD PARTS FOR SALE
The best Garage in the North at your service
Freight, Baggage and Express Transferred

A. E. Falconer Govmnt. phone: 2 long, 1 short **Hazelton**

New lines of

**GINGHAMS, CREPES
RATINES and
VOILES**

JUST OPENED UP COME IN AND LOOK THEM OVER

Most reasonably priced

R. Cunningham & Son Ltd.
HAZELTON, B.C.

HAZELTON NOTES

Protect your interests and create an estate. See Wm. Grant's Agency.

Mrs. Withrow and family left on Thursday morning for Vancouver, where they will make their home.

H. Berge received word on Tuesday that his brother had been killed in the railway yards at Duluth, where he was traffic manager.

Mrs. Wm. Grant is visiting her daughters in Smithers this week.

The first of the week the police visited Ed. Hall's place and as a result invited Edward to appear before Justice of the Peace Wm. Grant and explain the presence of considerable wet goods on his premises. Edward appeared, but was allowed out on bail until Friday, when the court will be ready to listen to explanations.

E. C. Manning, of the Forest Branch, Victoria, was a business visitor here over the week end.

Jack Frost, of Terrace, called on Hazelton friends the first of the week and on Tuesday went on to Smithers to see other friends.

Walton H. Sharpe went up the line the first of the week on Forestry business.

Mrs. Kinerley left for her home at Kitwanga after being a patient in the Hospital.

Steve O'Connor was a patient in the Hospital this week with what he claimed to be "a real new one on me". It was not as serious as Steve first thought.

Miss Rana Withrow, who has been with Mrs. Jack Chilvers in the Peace River country, arrived this week and is staying with her sister, Mrs. O. Utterstrom.

One Great Night

One good night's fun is in store for the people of this district on Friday, February 22, when the best talent in Hazelton will stage a two-act comedy for the benefit of the public's mentality and the Tennis and Badminton Clubs' bank account. Coming as it does just after all have had the 'flu and been very sorry for themselves, this concert will lift the depressed out of their blues and start them along the trail of smiles, sunshine and optimism. Programs have been issued and are being passed around for the consideration of one dollar, exchange allowed, and the possession of a program will admit to the laugh factory free of charge. Floor space to store your rubbers will be included, and during the ten-minute recess between acts one and two you may line up at the back of the hall and strike matches. There may also be a pail of water close by and drinks will be furnished free to those who honestly paid to gain admission. Be ready for next Friday night. Everyone should make it a point to be there. The public needs a laugh and the clubs need the money.

FARM HELP SUPPLIED

FREE SERVICE NOW OFFERED
BY

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS
Colonization and Development Department

The work of this department is being rapidly extended throughout Western Canada to be of the best possible service to the public, and through its special representatives in the East, in Great Britain, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, and other European countries, it will be able to bring to Canada large numbers of immigrants, male and female, who in a short time should become permanent and desirable settlers. The great obstacle in the past has been the uncertainty of immediate employment for the new arrival and farmers can assist colonization work by employing their help through this channel, and if possible BY THE YEAR. The work is done without charge and no advances are required for transportation or for any similar purpose. All information given is used for the purpose of informing the settler requiring work only.

EVERY NEW SETTLER HELPS YOU PROSPER

ALL C.N.R. STATION AGENTS HAVE NECESSARY FORMS
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CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

BRITISH COLUMBIA

THE MINERAL PROVINCE OF WESTERN CANADA

HAS PRODUCED MINERALS VALUED AS FOLLOWS:—

Placer Gold	\$ 76,542,203
Lode Gold	109,647,661
Silver	59,814,266
Lead	51,810,891
Copper	170,723,242
Zinc	24,625,853
Coal and Coke	238,289,565
Building Stone, Brick, Cement	36,606,942
Miscellaneous Minerals	1,358,839

Making its mineral production to the end of 1922 show
AN AGGREGATE VALUE OF \$769,418,462

The striking progress of the mining industry in this province is strikingly illustrated in the following figures, which show the value of production for successive 5-year periods:

For all years to 1895, inclusive	\$ 94,547,241
For five years, 1896-1900	57,607,967
For five years, 1901-1905	96,507,968
For five years, 1906-1910	125,534,474
For five years, 1911-1915	142,072,603
For five years, 1916-1920	189,922,725
For the year 1921	28,066,641
For the year 1922	35,158,843

PRODUCTION DURING LAST TEN YEARS, \$339,280,940

Lode-mining has only been in progress about 33 years, and not 20 per cent. of the Province has been even prospected; 300,000 square miles of unexplored mineral bearing lands are open for prospecting.

The mining laws of this Province are more liberal and the fees lower than any other province in the Dominion, or any Colony in the British Empire.

Mineral locations are granted to discoverers for nominal fees. Absolute titles are obtained by developing such properties, security of which is guaranteed by crown grants.

Full information, together with mining reports and maps, may be obtained gratis by addressing

The Honourable The Minister of Mines
VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA



Winter Steamship Service

S.S. PRINCE RUPERT will sail from Prince Rupert for VANCOUVER, VICTORIA, SEATTLE and intermediate points each FRIDAY at 10 a.m.

For STEWART and ANYOX... Wednesday, 11 p.m.

S.S. PRINCE JOHN will sail for VANCOUVER via Queen Charlotte Islands, January 2nd, 16th, 30th, February 13th, 27th, March 12th, 26th

Passenger Trains Leave New Hazelton:

Eastbound—8.18 a.m. Daily except Monday
Westbound—8.34 a.m. Daily except Tuesday.

For Atlantic steamship sailings or further information apply to any Canadian National Agent or

R. F. McNaughton, District Passenger Agent, Prince Rupert, B.C.